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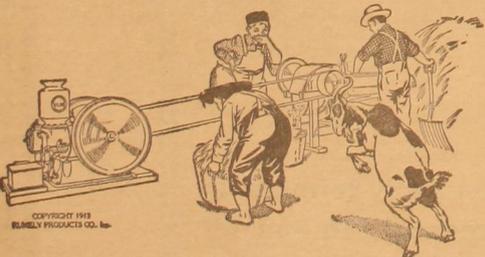
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CARL TOCK, Dwight, Ill.

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DEALERS IN RUMELY POWER FARM MACHINERY — DWIGHT, ILL.

PORTLAND

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days, returned Monday morning to her home at Kankakee.

Elmer McCormick, who has been attending the University of Illinois during the past year, is spending a short while in this city with his mother and sister on North Chicago street.

John Marks, of Fort Collins, Col., is spending a few days in the city on a business mission and also visiting relatives. He came here from Michigan, where he had been visiting his daughters.

Miss Helene and Miss Catharine Yost arrived home Tuesday night from Lynchburg, Va., where they have been attending school. They were accompanied by their mother, Mrs. Z. F. Yost, who has been visiting them for several weeks.

Mrs. Geo. L. Bigelow and sister, Mrs. H. U. Grant, and the latter's daughter and son, left Wednesday noon for Gridley, where they will be the guests of their brother, James H. Andrews, and family. They will also visit in El Paso before returning.

Misses Milbra and Marian Enslow, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Enslow, and Misses Irene and William Enslow, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Enslow, left Wednesday noon for Nashville, Tenn., where they will spend some time with friends and relatives.

BIG FIELD DAY AUTO TOUR.

To Visit Six Farms in County Where Illinois System of Permanent Agriculture Has Been Adopted.

A big Automobile Tour of the Central and Southern portions of the County is being planned by the Livingston County Soil and Crop Improvement Association for Tuesday, June 17th. It is expected to interest every land operator in the County and that no less than 200 automobiles will be in line for the occasion.

The object of this tour is to inspect a number of farms, the soils of which are being managed according to the Illinois system of permanent agriculture, and to hear the owners of these farms discuss the method and give definite figures on their results. These men are making this system pay now and their children will make it pay more. It is the great clover crop on these farms the Association wishes, most of all, to be inspected. Seeing these crops alone will be worth any one's while to make the trip.

A number of noted men are expected to be present on this occasion, among whom are Dean Davenport of the College of Agriculture of the University of Illinois. Farmer Frank I. Mann, of Gilman, who is probably one of the greatest practical and scientific farmers of Illinois today, Banker B. F. Harris, Chairman of Committee on Agriculture and Vocational Education, Champaign, Ill. Mr. Harris is largely responsible for the organization of Crop and Soil Improvement Associations in this State. Bert Ball, Secretary of the Council of Grain Exchanges, Chicago, and Julius Rosenwald, President of the Sears & Roebuck Co. In addition to these men a number of County Agriculture Advisers will be here. In this latter body of men there will be scientists and specialists of activity, representing many different agricultural lines.

The following farms are to be visited: J. W. Porter, four miles east of Pontiac, in section 20, Oswego township; the J. C. Meis farm, 3 miles north of Fairbury, in section 21, Avoca township; the F. L. Churchill farm in section 15, one mile northeast of the Meis farm; the Herbert Powell farm, one mile west of Fairbury, in section 9, Indian Grove township, and the F. L. Corkhill farm, 5 miles southeast of Fairbury, in section 19, Indian Grove township.

Parties will be made up in the various towns of the County and proceed from there to Central meeting points, those coming from Dwight, Odell, Cornell, Campus, Flanagan, Saunemin and Emington and all points north will arrive in Pontiac by 9 o'clock in the morning and the assembled cars will at once set out for the Porter farm. Those parties coming from Chatsworth, Forrest and Fairbury and other southern points will go direct to the J. C. Meis farm where the parties from all parts of the county will meet at 10 o'clock. It is planned to go from the Meis farm to the F. L. Churchill farm and from there to the Fairbury Fair Grounds where dinner will be spread under the many gen-

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. E. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.—Adv.

erous shade trees of that place. Short addresses will be delivered in the afternoon by Dean Davenport, B. F. Harris, Farmer F. I. Mann, Secretary Bert Ball and others, after which the tour will be continued and the Powell and Corkhill farms will be visited.

The Illinois permanent system of agriculture embraces a judicious use of rock phosphate on soils to supply the needed phosphorous element for crop production, and of crushed lime stone to sweeten sour soils and prepare them for growing maximum crops of clover and other legumes. It also includes a liberal use of clover for pasture and green manure crops to supply nitrogen and organic matter to the soil. On the farms to be visited June 17th, two to three tons of clover per acre will be seen growing on properly treated soil while one to one and one-half tons only will be seen growing on untreated soil in the same fields.

What makes this great difference? Phosphorous! The soils of this County are different in this element, and it is only by supplying it to the soils in some form that the soils of this County can be expected to produce maximum yields.

There are great numbers of farms in this County now, the soils of which, have no more than enough phosphorous to produce an average yield of corn, oats or clover under the ordinary system of soil management. This means about 45 bushels of corn, 42 bushels of oats and one ton of clover hay per acre and at the same time the capacity of these soils, for the production of crops, under judicious soil management, could be easily doubled and in many cases increased by three times their present capacities. The judicious use of clover, phosphorous and crushed lime stone would double the yield of crops in this County.

On this trip, therefore, it will be seen how Livingston County farmers have increased their clover yield from one to three tons per acre. These results are of serious importance since they mean an almost proportionate increase in the yield of oats and corn. In fact, last year Mr. Meis raised 78 bushels of oats per acre on soil which had been properly treated against 53 bushels of oats per acre in the same field on untreated soils. In addition to this Mr. Meis has obtained an increased yield of corn from the use of crushed lime stone of over 12 bushels per acre. These men are planning not only to increase their yield of crops but to increase the fertility of their soils year by year. Those who join in this tour will not only see the work of progressive farmers but will hear them tell of their soil and crop management plans, while yet among the sweet scented clover blossoms in the pure open air of the fields. None but those who visit these clover fields will be able to fully appreciate the lesson they teach.

We stand today at the critical period of agricultural methods, another decade and the highly productive soils will be found largely, only, where the new has supplanted the old methods of crop production and soil management.

Every farmer in the County is invited to take part in this inspection tour and to bring his wife and family and lunch, for a day's outing of pleasure and profit. If you have more than enough room in your car for your own family, invite some of your neighbor's family to go with you.

Half-Done Work.

There is an old story of a miser who had hidden his great treasure under a large bowlder. The secret was discovered by two blacksmiths, each of whom determined to secure the wealth, and set about preparing crow-bars to pry up the rock. The one was in such haste that he did his work carelessly, and though he was first on the spot his poor tool snapped, and he could not accomplish his purpose. While he hastened back to his shop to repair the damage the second smith, who had made ready more carefully, came with his strong bar and carried off the treasure. Half-done work defeats its own ends, and the success for which one is not ready is not ready for him.

Bird Weighing One-Half Ton.

Undeniably "there were giants in those days." It may be that the "phorhacces" did not weigh quite as much as the now extinct moa of New Zealand (whose avoirdupois was largely in its huge and clumsy legs); and it was no taller than the giant ostrich of Madagascar, which measured ten feet in height, but it had by all odds the biggest head that any bird ever possessed.

In all likelihood it would have tipped the scales at not less than half a ton.

Ulcers and Skin Troubles.

If you are suffering with any old, running or fever sores, ulcers, boils, eczema or other skin troubles, get a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and you will get relief promptly. Mrs. Bruce Jones, of Birmingham, Ala., suffered from an ugly ulcer for nine months and Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured her in two weeks. Will help you. Only 25c. Recommended by John A. O'Malley, Druggist.—Adv.

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NEW ALTON TIME CARD.

Changes of Time Proposed on Northern Division June 22.

Work commenced Tuesday upon a new time card for the northern division of the Alton, to take effect on June 22. The southern and western divisions will not change time, as the shift in trains decided upon applies only to the north end. It has been found that there are too many trains out of Chicago in the afternoon in proportion to the business and it has been decided to transfer one of them to the morning. The train selected is No. 77, known as the Dwight accommodation, which has been leaving Chicago at 5:15 p. m. and reaching Dwight at 7:30 p. m. In the new card this train will leave Chicago at 8:30 a. m. and do all of the station work between Chicago and Dwight, relieving No. 3, the Prairie State, of all stops between those points except at Joliet. No. 3 has been growing so heavy that it was thought important to cut out many of the stops and the change can be made without increasing the expense to the company or sacrificing the afternoon service out of Chicago. To take the place of No. 77, No. 79, now leaving Chicago at 5:45 p. m., will start fifteen minutes earlier and reach Dwight about fifteen minutes earlier.

Advertised Letters.

List of letters remaining in the postoffice at Dwight, County of Livingston, State of Illinois, unclaimed June 12, 1913.

To obtain any of the following letters, call for Advertised Letters, giving date of list.

If not delivered will be sent to dead letter office June 26, 1913.

1. Antonio, Charles
2. Gavin, Charles
3. Printes, W. M.
4. White, Mrs. H.
5. Williams, J. F.
6. Wood, D. W.

WM. G. DUSTIN, Postmaster.

WITH OUR CHURCHES.

Congregational Church—Rev. F. F. Farrington, pastor. Services for Sunday, June 15: Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; Morning service, 10:45 a. m.; Miss Foote of Turkey will speak. C. E. meeting at 6:45 p. m.; Evening service, 7:45 p. m. A welcome for all.

M. E. Church—Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Morning worship, 10:45, subject, "In Tune with the Infinite." Epworth League, 6:45 p. m. Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.; subject, "The Crystallization of Character." Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:30.

St. Peter's Danish Lutheran Church—Rev. J. C. Aaberg, pastor, (corner Lincoln and W. Chippewa streets). Sunday School, 9 a. m.; morning church service at 10 (except third Sunday); evening services at 7:30 p. m. first and third Sunday; Holy communion, first Sunday; Young Peoples meeting, 2nd and 4th Sunday, 2:30 p. m.; Ladies Aid meeting last Wednesday in each month, 2 p. m.; choir practice, Friday 8 p. m.

Bedell Danish Lutheran Church—Rev. J. Simonsen, pastor, West Seminoles St. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. every Sunday. Services at 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m., first and third Sundays in the month, and each Friday evening previous to first and third Sundays at 7:30 p. m. Everybody welcome.

German Ev.-Luth. Church—Rev. W. Kistemann, pastor. Services every Sunday; Sunday School from 9 to 10 a. m. Service from 10 to 11 a. m. English service every first Sunday in the month at 7:30 p. m.

Danish-Norwegian M. E. Church—Rev. Bague, pastor. There will be preaching services tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Everybody welcome.

Her Formal Closing.
One evening little Helen stammered at the end of her prayer, evidently forgetting how to close. Then she said: "Oh, yes, very truly yours, Helen Smith."

Fine Job Printing at this Office.

CHARTER NO. 8044

Report of the condition of

The First National Bank of Dwight

at Dwight, in the State of Illinois, at the close of business, June 4, 1913.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts.....	\$428,024.87
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	3,150.64
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	44,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits, \$1,000.00; to secure Postal Savings, None.....	1,000.00
Other bonds to secure U. S. Deposits, None to secure Postal Savings, \$7,000.00.....	7,000.00
Bonds, Securities, etc.....	51,737.11
Banking House, Furniture, and Fixtures.....	23,248.47
Other Real Estate owned.....	670.00
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks.....	413.88
Due from approved Reserve Agents.....	55,127.62
Checks and other Cash Items.....	194.25
Notes of other National Banks.....	540.00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels, and Cents.....	325.52
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ: Specie.....	\$ 3,085.10
Legal-tender notes.....	23,332.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation).....	2,200.00
Total.....	\$643,749.46

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund.....	20,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid.....	12,939.36
National Bank Notes outstanding.....	44,000.00
Dividends unpaid.....	50.00
Individual deposits subject to check.....	435,039.61
Demand certificates of deposit.....	23,339.65
Time certificates of deposit.....	56,332.35
United States deposits.....	1,000.00
Postal Savings deposits.....	388.49 516,810.10
Total.....	\$643,749.46

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF LIVINGSTON, SS:
I, John J. Doherty, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of June, 1913.
R. D. GREGG, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:

JOE MILLER,
E. S. LEWIS,
C. J. ABERN,
Directors.